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COMMITTEE REPORT

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MR. SPEAKER:

*Your Committee on Public Health, to which was referred House Bill 1252, has had the same under consideration and begs leave to report the same back to the House with the recommendation that said bill **be amended** as follows:*

- 1 Page 1, line 8, after "physician" insert "
2 **(A)**".
- 3 Page 1, line 9, after "activity" insert "**;or**
4 **(B) the person who is legally responsible for making health**
5 **related decisions for the individual with a disability;**".
- 6 Page 1, line 9, beginning with "is" begin a new line block indented.
- 7 Page 2, line 26, after "division" insert "**and any organization**
8 **designated under section 11 of this chapter**".
- 9 Page 2, delete lines 41 through 42, begin a new paragraph and
10 insert:
- 11 "SECTION 3. IC 12-10-17-21, AS ADDED BY P.L.255-2001,
12 SECTION 11, IS AMENDED TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE
13 UPON PASSAGE]: Sec. 21. This chapter expires July 1, ~~2003~~ **2007**.
14 SECTION 4. IC 16-25-3-11 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE
15 AS A **NEW** SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE

UPON PASSAGE]: **Sec. 11. If, in the opinion of the attending physician, a registered nurse who is employed by a hospice is capable of training or instructing individuals who will perform a specific medical activity, including activities that require the penetration of the skin or body orifice, and the nurse:**

(1) has trained and instructed an individual in the performance of the medical activity; and

(2) has delegated the performance of the medical activity to the individual;

the individual may perform that medical activity for patients of the hospice while the individual is employed by the hospice.

SECTION 5. IC 16-27-1-17 IS ADDED TO THE INDIANA CODE AS A NEW SECTION TO READ AS FOLLOWS [EFFECTIVE UPON PASSAGE]: **Sec. 17. If, in the opinion of the attending physician, a registered nurse who is employed by a home health agency is capable of training or instructing individuals who will perform a specific medical activity, including activities that require the penetration of the skin or body orifice, and the nurse:**

(1) has trained and instructed an individual in the performance of the medical activity; and

(2) has delegated the performance of the medical activity to the individual;

the individual may perform that medical activity for patients of the home health agency while the individual is employed by the home health agency."

Page 3, line 42, delete "and".

Page 3, after line 42, begin a new line block indented and insert:

"(2) the method of payment for the fiscal agent who provides

- 1 **authorized services under IC 12-10-17; and".**
- 2 Page 4, line 1, delete "(2)" and insert "**(3)**".
- 3 Renumber all SECTIONS consecutively.
(Reference is to HB 1252 as introduced.)

and when so amended that said bill do pass.

Representative Brown C